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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Sir:

The Notice to File Missing Parts mailed 03/19/2004 states that the signature of Stephen G. Miller is missing from the oath or declaration and must be submitted in order to avoid abandonment. Applicants traverse this requirement.

Stephen G. Miller is not a named inventor on the declaration filed December 12, 2003 in this application. While Stephen G. Miller was named as an inventor in the application data sheet filed December 12, 2003, under 37CFR1.76(d)(3), the oath or declaration filed under 37CFR1.63 or 37CFR1.67 governs inconsistencies with the application data sheet in the naming of inventors. Since the declaration, as filed, does not name Stephen G. Miller as an inventor and since the declaration governs inconsistencies between the declaration and application data sheet, the requirement to add the signature of Stephen G. Miller to the declaration is not appropriate, and no surcharge fee is due.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

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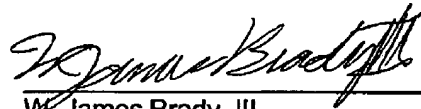
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The fee for this extension is indicated below:

- ☐ One Month (\$110)
- ☐ Two Months (\$420)
- ☐ Three Months (\$950)
- ☒ Four Months (\$1480)

Please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 20-0668 of Texas Instruments Incorporated. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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## Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:  
*Stephen G. Miller*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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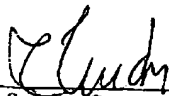
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